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**CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Title page.

Item [75], Inventors, "**Chikuma**, Kawaski (JP)" should read -- **Chikuma**, Kawasaki (JP) --.  
Item [30], **Foreign Application Priority Data**, "11/278952" should read -- 11-278952 --.  
Item [56], **References Cited**, FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS,  
"79-56847" should read -- 54-56847 --;  
"84-138461" should read -- 59-138461 --; and  
"85-71260" should read -- 60-71260 --.  
Item [57], **ABSTRACT**,  
Line 4, "cording" should read -- recording --.

Column 1.

Line 17, "operation" should read -- operation can be reduced --;  
Line 39, "electing" should read -- ejecting --;  
Line 57, "in ink" should read -- ink --; and  
Line 64, "the use is made with" should read -- use is made of --.

Column 2.

Line 15, "use independent two" should read -- using two independent --;  
Line 19, "bands" should read -- bands is --;  
Line 33, "print" should read -- printed --;  
Line 34, "provide" should read -- provides --; and  
Line 52, "print data." should read -- print data can be reduced. --.

Column 3.

Line 20, "formation" should read -- form --.

Column 4.

Line 10, "patter" should read -- pattern --;  
Line 53, "of" should be deleted; and  
Line 56, "caused" should read -- been caused --.

Column 6.

Line 39, "controlled" should read -- controlled. --; and  
Line 65, "a" should read -- of a --.

Column 7.

Line 8, "Figure," should read -- Figures, --; and  
Line 26, "and a" should read -- and --.

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Column 9,

Line 20, "are" should be deleted;  
Line 27, "C2" should read -- C2 in the forward path --;  
Line 39, "and the" should be deleted;  
Line 48, "such that" should read -- as follows: the --;  
Line 54, "path," should read -- path, the order is as follows: --; and  
Line 66, "he" should be deleted.

Column 10,

Line 1, "write" should read -- writes --;  
Line 16, "205Cl." should read -- 205Cl, --;  
Line 24, "for" should read -- are provided for --; and  
Line 57, "nozzle" should read -- nozzles --.

Column 11,

Line 18, "relationship" should read -- relationship is shown --; and  
Line 51, "stripes," should read -- stripes be reduced, --.

Column 12,

Line 17, "pair" should read -- a pair --;  
Line 23, "The printing the defective" should read -- Printing is defective --;  
Line 45, "they use is made with" should read -- use is made of --;  
Line 60, "rasters." should read -- raster. --; and  
Line 62, "form" should read -- from --.

Column 13,

Line 1, "In the present invention, it" should read -- It --;  
Line 12, "in the use is made with" should read -- wherein use is made of --;  
Line 40, "occurs" should read -- occur --;  
Line 55, "is" should read -- are --;  
Line 56, "has" should read -- have --; and  
Line 57, "applied" should read -- applies --.

Column 14,

Line 23, "the raster one" should read -- one raster --;  
Line 64, "the" should read -- the fact that the --; and  
Line 67, "scamming" should read -- scanning --.

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Column 15,

Line 1, "so" should read -- has the result --;  
Line 11, "interraced" should read -- interlaced --;  
Line 50, "simple" should read -- simplify --;  
Line 62, "show" should read -- shows --; and  
Line 67, "make" should read -- ensure that --.

Column 16,

Line 10, "caused" should read -- been caused --.

Column 17,

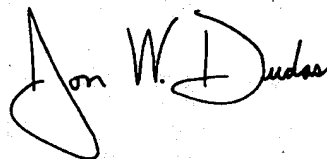
Line 45, "the" should read -- with the --.

Column 19,

Line 13, "the other ink" should read -- other color inks --.

Signed and Sealed this

Thirteenth Day of December, 2005

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Jon W. Dudas". The signature is stylized, with the first name "Jon" and last name "Dudas" clearly legible, and "W." in the middle. The signature is written over a faint, rectangular grid pattern.

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